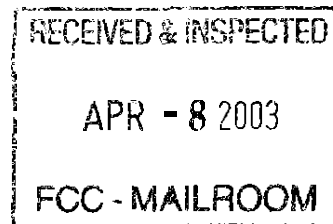




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Federal Communications Commission
Office of the Secretary
445 12th Street
Washington D.C. 20554

April 1, 2003

CC DOCKET NOS. 96-45 and 97-21
FRN 825992, 826022, 826042, 826070, 826093, 826127

Dear Sirs,

Enclosed please find a decision on Appeal for Funding Year 2002-2003 notifying us of a complete denial.

We would like to appeal this decision.

Please be aware of the following:

- 1) We were not notified of any claim of late filing until November 22, 2002. This was ten months after the fact. Had we known that our application was filed late we would not have continued services to the extent we did.
- 2) In fact the forms were not late! We called for Airborne Express on the 17th of January. There was inclement weather on that date and Airborne did not pick up until the 18th.

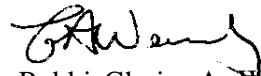
Why should we be penalized for this unforeseen situation? If your office deemed this a late submission, why did it take till November 22, 2002 to notify us? Had we known, we would have had the option to discontinue services as of July 1, 2002.

SLC was corresponding with us numerous times throughout the year 2002. Never was one word mentioned of a late filing. They requested all types of information we which constantly provided on a timely basis. Why was there never a mention of a late filing?

Is it fair to notify a school ten months late! Please review this appeal and notify us of a favorable decision.

Thank you

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Chaim A. Weinberg', written in a cursive style.

Rabbi Chaim A. Weinberg
Principal

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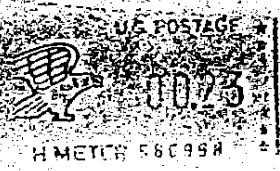
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2002-2003 E-RATE APPLICANTS
Applicant Form Identifier

MAILING DATE:
November 22, 2002



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JANUARY 17 WINDOW CLOSE**

We're sending this card to thank you for your recent Form 471 application but also to let you know that your application was submitted after the 2002-2003 filing window closed at 11:59 p.m. EST on January 17, 2002.

We are holding your application pending final processing of those applications that were filed within the filing window.

For more information about the processing of 2002-2003 applications, about funding for applications filed after the close of the filing window, about appealing the status of your Form 471 application, or about plans for the 2003-2004 application process, please visit our web site at www.sl.universalservice.org or call the Client Service Bureau at 1-888-203-8100.

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